

SAFETY AND BUILDINGS DIVISION
Plumbing Product Review
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August 21, 2012

PENTAIR RESIDENTIAL FILTRATION LLC GARTH BABCOCK 5730 N. GLEN PARK ROAD MILWAUKEE WI 53209

Re: Description: WATER TREATMENT DEVICE - POU ACTIVATED CARBON

Manufacturer: PENTAIR RESIDENTIAL FILTRATION LLC

Product Name: PENTAIR

Model Number(s): GE GSBF-1500 USING THE GSBF-1500R CARTRIDGE

Product File No: 20120307

The specifications and/or plans for this plumbing product have been reviewed and determined to be in compliance with chapters SPS 382 through 384, Wisconsin Administrative Code, and Chapters 145 and 160, Wisconsin Statutes.

The Department hereby issues an approval based on the Wisconsin Statutes and the Wisconsin Administrative Code. This approval is valid until the end of August 2017.

This approval is contingent upon compliance with the following stipulation(s):

- This product has undergone sufficient testing to document the product's ability to reduce only those
 contaminants and/or substances as specified in this approval letter when the product is installed and
 maintained in strict accordance with the manufacturer's published instructions.
- Where the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has jurisdiction, a written approval may be required prior to installation of this product in a water supply system to reduce the concentration of a contaminant that exceeds the primary drinking water standards contained in ch. NR 809, Wis. Admin. Code, the enforcement standards contained in ch. NR 140, Wis. Admin. Code, or for a water supply system that is subject to a written advisory opinion by the DNR. For more information contact the DNR Section of Private Water Systems, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707, telephone (608) 267-9787.
- If this approved device is modified or additional assertions of function or performance are made, then this approval shall be considered null and void, unless the change is submitted to the department for review and the approval is reaffirmed.
- If the treatment components of this device (e.g., replacement cartridge) are replaced with anything other than those originally approved for use with this device, then this approval shall immediately be considered null and void.

Based on testing data submitted to and reviewed by the department, this approval recognizes that this plumbing product will reduce the concentration of contaminants as specified on pages 1 through 2 of this letter.

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TABLE 1 OF 1 PRODUCT FILE NUMBER 20120307 AESTHETICS EFFECTING INORGANIC CONTAMINANT REDUCTION CAPABILITIES

Flow Rate: 2.3 liters per minute [0.6 gallons per minute (gpm)]

Capacity: 9,464 I (2,500 gals.) for free chlorine reduction performance. For particulate

reduction, the capacity is dependent on the type and quantity of particulate matter present in the influent water, the need for maintenance may be indicated by a significant decrease in

flow rate.

Tested Contaminant	Influent Challenge Level (mg/l)*
Chlorine (free)	2.0 ± 0.2
Particles (≥ 1.0 to < 5.0 μm)	≥ 10,000 #/ml

Other conditions: the contaminant reduction performance data displayed for table 4 of 4 was generated by testing conducted in accordance with NSF *International* Standard 42. To qualify for free chlorine reduction, the device must reduce the influent challenge concentrations by \geq 50%; meeting the free chlorine reduction requirements also qualifies the device for the reduction of aesthetic, organic, taste and odor reduction (e.g. geosmin, methylisoborneol); this does not include hydrogen sulfide. To qualify for particulate reduction, the device must reduce the influent particulate concentrations by \geq 85%.

mg/l = milligrams per liter are equivalent to parts per million (ppm)

- * = unless otherwise indicated
- \pm = plus or minus
- \geq = greater than or equal to

μm = micrometers #/ml = particles per milliliter < = less than

This device was tested under controlled laboratory, or field, conditions. The actual performance of this device for a specific end use installation will vary from the tested conditions based on local factors such as water pressure, water temperature and water chemistry.

The department is in no way endorsing this product or any advertising, and is not responsible for any situation which may result from its use.

Sincerely,

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